

## Senate

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care**

##### **Senate Bill 354**

Relating to: authorizing medically related actions by advanced practice nurse prescribers and physician assistants.

By Senators Cowles, Robson, Olsen, A. Lasee, Darling, Erpenbach, Grothman and Reynolds; cosponsored by Representatives Vukmir, Richards, Underheim, Albers, Hundertmark, Krawczyk, Nerison, LeMahieu, Gunderson, Sheridan, Seidel, Strachota, Wood, Lothian, Nelson, Townsend, Owens, Ott, Petrowski, Lehman, Kessler, Cullen, Kreibich and Gronemus.

September 30, 2005 Referred to Committee on Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care.

February 8, 2006 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Leah Vukmir — Representative
- Gina Dennik-Champion — Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Mary Beck — Wisconsin Nurses Association /Advanced Practice Nurse Forum
- Kathryn Osborne — WI. Chapter of American College of Nurse Midwives

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- Cindy Benning — Self
- Charollette Rasmussen — Pharmacy Examining Board

##### Registrations For

- Tony Driessen — Wisconsin Association of Nurse Anesthetists
- Robert Cowles — Senator, 2nd Senate District
- Robert Phillips — Dr., Marshfield Clinic
- Michael Welsh — Wisconsin Academy of Family Physicians
- Paul Merline — Wisconsin Association of Health Plans

Registrations Against

- None.

February 8, 2006

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Darling, seconded by Senator Roessler that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: (0) None.

ADOPTION OF SENATE AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED,  
Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Roessler, seconded by Senator Darling that **Senate Bill 354** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senators Roessler, Darling, Brown, Erpenbach and Carpenter.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Jennifer Stegall  
Committee Clerk